

The International Day of Peace September 21

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Dear Danny,

I want to thank you for being at the United Nations again this year for the International Day of Peace. It was back in 1998 that you led the children carrying flags of all the nations into to the General Assembly to be present for of the Minute of Silence for Peace that opened that General Assembly Session. You have covered many countries and met many people during these past ten years of walking. Your commitment to the International Day of Peace from wherever you have been is much appreciated.

It was an honor to have you and the other walkers journey from the Peace Festival in Amenia, NY to the UN and onto St. Peter's Church near Ground Zero for the 2005 International Day of Peace. You know that September 11, 2001 was the International Day of Peace that year. New Yorkers were called upon to live peace that day. Strangers became a lifeline to one another. People responded with care, love and compassion. People truly cared about one another and showed that peace is a reality when we choose to live it.

Your walk from the UN to Ground Zero carried great love for the people of New York and for the world. From NY, you walked to New Orleans, raising money to rebuild the New Orleans Mission. Your dedication and prayers for peace have inspired so many people of all ages, beliefs and backgrounds throughout the world. By making peace your mission, your walks show that peace is possible with every step you take. Your example shows that tiny steps can accomplish big goals.

Thank you for sharing your life to build world peace, one step at a time.

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Monica Willard Co-chair
International Day of Peace NGO Committee at the United Nations

Much love to all of you who are working to build peace by supporting Danny, the people of New Orleans and the International Day of Peace.

Love, Monica